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Serial No. 10/501,733

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SOLID-STATE POST-CONDENSATION PROCESS FOR INCREASING THE

MOLECULAR WEIGHT OF A POLYAMIDE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Title:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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Total effective claims after amendment previously paid for 20 (at least

13 minus highest number

 $(at least 20) = 0 \times 50.00

\$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

Independent claims after amendment

previously paid for 3

(at least 3) =

minus highest number 0 x \$200.00

\$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add

\$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$

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Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add

\$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$

Applicant claims "small entity" status.

Statement filed herewith

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Assignment Recording Fee

\$40.00 (8021) \$

TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$

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